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In re application of:

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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGING APPARATUS



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- ☒ 15 page(s) of specification and 1 page(s) of abstract of the invention are enclosed.
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- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney ☐ is enclosed ☒ will follow.
- ☐ A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-050741 filed February 26, 1999 from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 will follow.
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- ☐ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

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